

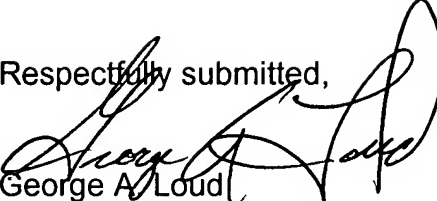
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Page 1, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

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